

**Road Weather Management Program
Best Practices for Road Weather Management**

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TITLE:

ROAD WEATHER INFORMATION SYSTEMS: SOME FINDINGS ON HOW RWIS INFORMATION SHOULD BE DISSEMINATED TO THE TRAVELING PUBLIC

ABSTRACT:

Survey of four potential user groups of RWIS information: commuters, recreational travelers, long distance travelers, and truckers. Results show that DMS, commercial radio and HAR are the most popular delivery methods. Road condition information (e.g., accumulating snow, fog, ice, wind and road closures) is preferred over information on alternate routes, travel times, or travel speeds. Preferred delivery times are one hour before departure and while en-route.

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